

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

Favorable consideration and entry of the present amendment is respectfully requested.

Claims 1-4 are allowed.

Claim 1 is amended to correct an informality. Specifically, the word "holding" underlined in the present Amendment was added to Claim 1 in the Amendment filed January 25, 2005, but was not underlined in the earlier Amendment. Accordingly, no new issues are believed to be raised as the word "holding" has already been considered. This informality was uncovered in Applicants' post allowance review of the application and is being timely and diligently corrected. No new matter is involved and no new issues are believed to be raised.

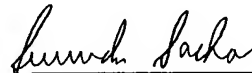
In view of the prior indication of allowability, no further issues are outstanding, and entry of the present amendment is believed to be in order and is respectfully requested so that the patent which issues from this application includes the presently submitted change.

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